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The Fourth is over, now for the Orleans county fair, to be held August 20-23 at Roaring Brook park, Barton.

If one must die of over-drinking, how pleasant it must be to have the family physician call it "refined alcoholism! "

The Boston Traveler is preparing for its annual outing season for the poor children of Boston, and is asking for the names of families who will take one or more children for a few weeks this summer. We note by the prospectus that 17 families of this vicinity furnished such outing for one or more children last year. The cause is a worthy one.

A young girl in the spring of life and a man apparently in good health both took their lives on the same day within the small compass bounding Orleans county, and another girl, sister to the dead one, is in a critical condition from driaking carbolic acid. Such is the harvest. Both probably examples of blind pessimism, as the Montpelier Journal well says: "It seems to be a part of human nature to expect, without any particular reason, the worst, and sometimes it seems as though certain people almost hoped for the worst. A great many tears have been shed over unopened telegrams which bore only messages of good cheer, a good many diphtheritic nights have been spent over sore throats brought on by eating strawberries or something equally as trivial. Ambulances in disguise are always looming up on somebody's imaginary vision. The world is full enough of tragedy without manufacturing any needlessly, and if trouble is coming it is time enough to grapple with it when it makes its appearance. The old maxim "Never trouble trouble till by the experience of others, and not trouble troubles you," is just as true as it ever was."

The Newport Express and Standard sends up another howl of protest against the infractions of the fish laws in Orleans county, claiming that net caught fish are sold openly on the streets. In that county are some of the best lakes and ponds for fishing in the state, Memphremagog and Wiiloughby laxes, for instance, but no matter what the laws, it the citizens of the county are not in accord with them, they are of no account, and the efforts of the fish and game commis sioners will come to naught.-Vergennes Vermonter.

From a report among the vicinity items of this paper it will be seen that poaching has been common, but that the people are aroused to action. Orleans county certainly has some of the best, if not the best, fishing in the state and it is up to her citizens to see that her lakes and ponds are made attractive for sportsmen and summer visitors. Visitors are more numerous this summer at all the resorts and lakes than in any year previous, which only goes to show that we have the goods. We are still looking for a county brochure entitled, "Orleans County, Its Lakes, Mountains and Streams," illustrated with a few hundred good views of the many beauty spots of the county. Summer trade is coming to Vermont and the first on the spot get the business.

The Monitor copies the following from the paper, "New England Telephone Notes," regarding Miss Myrtie Aldrich of West Burke. Every word of the following is true, and more. Miss Aldrich has for years acted as the MONITOR'S West Burke correspondent and has done the work very efficiently, her typewritten copy being some of the best copy coming into this office:

The Northern division has what perhaps no other division in the company's territory has got-a blind operator, doing the day work in an exchange of 130 subscribers, and doing it well. Her name is Myrtie Aldrich. and she has practical charge of the exchange in West Burke, Vt. It was with fear and trembling that she was allowed to try such an unheard-of task, but a very few days demonstrated her peculiar fitness for the position. It is safe to say that the company has no more faithful and efficient operator in its whole territory than Miss Aldrich. She is ever prompt and courteous and as steady as the clock on the wall. Wonder is often expressed that she can handle the cords so nimbly and with such precision, but it is apparently no more difficult than striking harmonious which she is equally familiar. In a country exchange like West Burke, toll calls are not very numerous, and these she records in New York point, which she afterwards reads by touch and copies on an ordinary typewriter, so the lickets may be read and com-pared by any one. Miss Aldrich is a graduate of Perkins Institute, and has shown marked ability in literature as well as in music.

The MONITOR also has another totally blind representative in the person of whose copy is another example of sented a note at the Merchants, Na- | \$6,000 verdict for the plaintiff.

nestness and accuracy. Both the above personages are intelligent, keen and active, quick at repartee, go about their home towns without assistance almost as well as their neighbors with eyes, and even travel the length and breadth of the state with apparent ease. Such is the aptness with which one trains their normal senses to take the place of any lost sense. The deeds of these two persons, wandering always in the night, are indeed wonderful and excite the admiration of onlookers, who, with every sense active, find this life cold. and the earning of daily bread a task almost beyond their ability.

WHAT THE PAPERS SAY.

Critic ze yourself and don't worry too much about your neighbor's affairs.-Waterbury Record.

The Messenger, having failed to persuade several Vermont contemporaries that the president is justified in his pistol-toting, there is now nothing left for it to do but to persuade him to quit it. And of course, that will be easy.—St. Albans Messenger.

Hetty Green has given up her residence at Bellows Falls because the assessors there wanted her to pay taxes on some of her personal property. Why doesn't the lady outwit the taxgatherers by having a kitchen and bedroom rigged up in one of those little houses on wheels such as trayeling photographers used to make use of while supplying the populace with tintypes?—Mirror and Farmer.

Elsewhere in this issue I have added word of endorsement to an article from the Montpelier Journal as to the opportunities afforded Vermont today by the young men who are being raised within her borders. Stay at home, boys, and get busy. The state, the farm, can and will do more for you than you can do for it. Sensible and intelligent farming offers the greatest and best possible rewards in health, cash and "that peace of mind which is greater than all." There is success to be won in many sane and simple lines of industry which will return more than a competence in taxable property, besides physical, mental and moral health in ways of peace and plenty. Boys, remember that at the last success is not the notoriety of fame and the accumulation of mere dollars. What shall a man gain if he win the whole world. for which he has no use and which has no proper use for him? These truths come home to all of us at last, usually too late to be of use to us in the way of experience. Try to profit be compelled to look back when too late and think of what might have been. These are indeed the saddest words of tongue or pen.-Hardwick

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LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE.

An Answer to Officialism.

MR. EDITOR: When the voters of a town cut off the head of a man for second constable in his own town, why should not the high official cut the same man's head off? I should think it was perhaps a little out of place to say it was a dozen politicians who

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VICINITY ITEMS.

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Foy Drowned at Newport. Samuel Moses, an eighteen-yearold Syrian boy, was drowned while swimming in Lake Memphremagog just above the Lane & Davis gristmill in Newport last Monday afternoon. Moses came to this country a short time ago from Damascus and had never been in a body of fresh water. The lesser buoyancy of the water and its low temperature brought on cramps and rendered him helpless almost immediately after he chords on the piano or faultiess proof went in and before he could be resfrom the typewriter, instruments with | cued he went down in ten feet of water. The body was recovered soon after and taken to his home in West Derby. Moses was a pedlar.

Arrested on Forgery Charge.

Ebridge A. Carpenter, of Lyndonville, a medical student at Tufts College, Medford, Mass., who has been residing with his wife at a hotel in that village since June 2, was arrested Monday on a charge of forgery. Chaplain M. W. Farman of Westfield, In February, 1906, Carpenter pre-

tional Bank of St. Johnsbury, signed by himself and endorsed by A. T. Evans of St. Johnsbury Center and E. C. Graves of Lyndonville, for \$250 and obtained money on it. Monday he presented another note, at the same bank, endorsed by the same persons whose names were attached to the first note, and, in addition, the name of Jennie Darling Folsom. which he asked to have discounted. A comparison of the signatures showed that they did not agree and it was suggested that the endorsers be consulted, and the signatures verified. Carpenter then started with State's Attorney Guy W. Hill, but on the way confessed that the notes were forged. He was arrested and placed in Caledonia county jail. It is reported that he is wanted in Massachusetts on a similar charge.

Fish Poachers at Caspian and Willoughby.

The people of the vicinity of both Caspian and Willoughby lakes are somewhat stirred up over abuses of the fish law and something is liable to drop at any time if the practices are continued, says report. At Caspian it is said the fishing has been largely spoiled for this season because of what the local people term "fish hogs." Several men have been eaught red handed and one in particular is said to have taken bundreds of pounds from the lake this season in this way. Commissioner Henry G. Thomas of Stowe says in regard to the matter: "It is reported to me that campers and fishermen at Caspian are using set lines, or night lines, and that many of them have out anywhere from one to a dozen of these lines. The cause of all the trouble has been from allowing the privilege of putting out one line from shore to take a fish for breakfast and by my writing a letter to Mr. Fowler that I would not consider this a crime, but it has been spread about the lake and the privilege abused, therefore, I have notified every warden to warn all campers that this would not be allowed and after such notice anyone using a night line will be presecuted according to law. If people have got to the point where they must abuse every privilege, then it is time to stop this one poacher, one Fountain, at Willoughby, has already been taken and charges made against him; and that other arrests are liable to follow.

Retail Merchants Organize.

The first meeting of the Orleans County Retail Merchants' association was held at the Newport house Thursday, June 27, at 3 p. m.

Elisha Lane of Newport, county chairman, opened the meeting and introduced Elisha Winter of Boston. New England organizer of the Retail Merchants' association. Mr. Winter outlined the work of the meeting of the state organization, held at Barlington April 23 and 24. After Mr. Winter's remarks a general discussion followed by the merchants present. the topic being the inroads made by the mail order houses upon the trade of the country merchants; that although more business was being done, the trade of the country storekeeper did not increase in proportion. It was, however, thought that the condition of the country storekeeper was still secure, and that nothing alarming was in sight but what could be successfully met by mutual co-opera-

The chairman spoke very strongly in favor of the organization. On motion of J. B. Holton of Charleston, who was seconded, the whole assemblage endorsed the work done by the state organization at its convention. The National Bankruptcy act was discussed, and an amendment to it was favored by the organization.

Forty merchants of the county are now members of the organization. Twenty-five were present. There are now ten counties in the state which are organized. The association formed at Newport will be called the Orleans County Retail Merchants association. The national convention meets at Boston in May next year. Below are the officers for Orleans

County chairman, Elisha Lane, Newport; secretary, Carroll Huntington, Newport. County committee-Albany, R. M. Cowles; Barton, Geo. H. Davis; Barton Landing, A. D. Beede; Coventry, C. J. Brooks; West Charleston, J. B. Holton; Derby, Taylor & Burton; West Derby, A. B. Cobleigh; Derby Line, Caswell & O'Rourke; Glover, Miles & Miller; Irasburg, Sears & Russell; Greensboro, Cuthbertson Bros.; Lowell, Geo. E. Curtis; Newport Center, F. D. Taylor; North Troy, H. B. Parkhurst; Troy, A. W. Edmunds.

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The case of the State vs. E. M. Seaver, town treasurer of Washington, in Orange county court was brought to a close last week when Seaver pleaded guilty and was sentenced not less than three nor more than four years in state's prison.

Bisby Weighs 2 1-4 Pounds.

Two and one-quarter pounds is the weight of the son just born to Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Glynn of Montpelier. His mother's wedding ring can be slipped on his arm as far as the elbow. The child is healthy and rigorous, and the doctor says he has as good prospects of being president as any youngster of his age.

Fined \$40 for False Label.

The case State vs. Geo. B. Arnold tried in Windsor county court last week resulted in a \$40 fine and costs being imposed upon the defendant for selling tertilizer which did not contain the amount of fertilizing qualities the label claimed, in violation of the law passed in 1992 requiring all fertilizers sold in the state to be labeled with the percentage of kind of work." It is reported that various compositions contained in the fertilizer.

Bell and Staff Take Outing.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles T. Waiter entertained ex-Gov. C. J. Bell, his family and members of Governor Bell's staff and their tamilies at "Riversice," their home in Lyndon, from Friday afternoon antii Monday morning, July 1. Saturday the party went to Newport for an ail-day sail on Lake Memphremagog. This is the first reunion ot Governor Bell's official tamily. Mr. Walter was Governor Bell's secretary ot civil and military affairs.

Lively Moxie.

The "Moxie" which States Attorney Benjamin. Gates received at the entrance gate of Intercity park June 22, which was suspected of containing whiskey, was found to be composed of 10.95 per cent alconol, the examination being made at the state aboratory in burnington. Nelson Kenniston, was soid the drink, was arrested. He pleaded guity to selfng but said he didn't intend to break the law. The judge upbraided nim severely and fined him \$300 and costs

Bostonians to Visit Vermont.

Plans have been completed by the Vermont association of Boston for a oilgrimage to the Green Mountains late in August, with an excursion on Lake Champlain. A big delegation is expected. Charles H. Bradley is chairman of the entertainment commi.tee. The party will leave Boston on the morning of August 15 in a spe cial Puliman train. The next day they will take the steamer Chateaugay for a sail among the islands, arriving at Keeler's bay, South Hero, for dinner, to be provided by the Ladies' Aid society. A band will be taken along for music and the party will arrive in Burlington early in the evening. Among the guests will be Governor Proctor, Lieutenant-Governor Prouty, Senators Proctor and Dillingham, Congressmen Foster and Haskins, Mayor Bigelow of Burlington and other prominent officials.

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